

# BRITISH SANCTION RUSSIA'S DESIRES

England in Accord With Russia's Dream to Hold Constantinople And The Much Coveted Dardanelles, Says Sir Edward Gray.

By Associated Press.  
London, Feb. 25.—Sir Edward Gray, the Foreign Secretary, announced in the House of Commons today that Great Britain was in entire accord with Russia's desire for access to the sea.  
"With Russia's desire for access to the sea England is in entire accord," the Foreign Secretary said in response to a question whether England knew of and approved the statement of the Russian Foreign Minister that Russia intended permanently to occupy Constantinople.  
The foreign secretary responded that he was unaware that the minister had made any such statement, but he added the statement he had seen was that the Foreign Minister had said that the events on the Russian-Turkish frontier would bring

Russia nearer realization of the political economic problem bound up with Russia's access to the sea.  
"With these aspirations," he continued, "England is in sympathy. What form their realization will take will no doubt be settled in the terms of peace."

The announcement of Sir Edward Gray marks one of the important developments in the European political situation since the beginning of the war, Russia's desire for a warm water port and an unrestricted outlet from the Black Sea has long been one of her most cherished national aspirations.

The attitude of Great Britain in the event that the fortunes of war should favor Russia in the struggle with Turkey has been an open question.

Germany to be contraband. It is believed if this step is taken it will be postponed until the American proposal has been discussed at length.  
Just what this proposal is the public, both here and in Berlin, is unaware. Its only information has been gleaned from the meagre and unqualified dispatches from Washington.

There would seem to be no doubt, however, that Great Britain will reserve the right to declare food contraband at any time she deems it necessary, especially as Germany's so-called blockade has been enforced with all the power Germany has at her command for a week past.

## RUSS SUCCESSFUL IN CARPATHIANS

By Associated Press.

Geneva, February 25.—Continued successes for the Russians, in the battles which rage furiously in the Carpathians, are described in dispatches to Swiss newspapers.

The Austro-German forces are said to have lost 3,000 more men at Dukla Pass, while melting snow at Uzsok Pass revealed the bodies of 2,000 Austrians and Russians.

## HARD TO GET MAIL IN EUROPE

Berlin, Feb. 25.—The extent to which communication with the United States is now cut off may be understood from the fact that a New York paper less than a month old is eagerly sought by Americans and carefully passed around among a large circle of readers. The removal of some of the Rotterdam-New York boats to southern routes has much reduced the mail facilities.

## 10,000 RUSS PRISONERS

By Associated Press.

Berlin, via London, February 25.—The town of Przysysz, Russian Poland, was yesterday taken by storm by German forces, according to the official announcement given out in Berlin today. The Germans captured 10,000 Russian prisoners.

# OIL KING DENIES THAT HE IS RESIDENT OF BUCKEYE STATE



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER.  
(From Latest Photograph.)

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 25.—John D. Rockefeller testified by deposition today at his home at Pocantico Hills, in an effort to avoid paying a personal property tax of \$1,150,700 levied upon him by the Cleveland, O., tax authorities.

Mr. Rockefeller testified that he was not a resident of the state of Ohio and had not been for the last 15 years, and that consequently he could not be taxed in that state. The examination occupied but a few minutes.

# ONE CAUSE FOR BOOST IN PRICE

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 25.—What vast increases have been made in the export of foodstuffs from the United States since the European war began was disclosed today by the Department of Commerce in a detailed statement of exports for the seven months ending with January.

In all \$377,400,000 worth of bread stuffs and meat were sent abroad, which, compared with the same seven months of 1914, was an increase of \$188,000,000.

# WILL NOT LET LATTANNER TAKE STAND

By Associated Press.

Columbus, O., Feb. 25.—The Winans' Committee, investigating the State Banking Department under the administration of Emory W. Lattanner as superintendent, decided definitely today, at an executive session, to refuse to allow Mr. Lattanner to testify, although it was said the way was left open for a similar offer at a later time.

# PROFESSOR TAFT URGES NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Former President Speaking in Cincinnati This Afternoon Points Out Advantage Which Would Come From National Institution—More Rigid Inspection of Schools Necessary.

By Associated Press.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 25.—Professor William H. Taft, of Yale University, former president of the United States, speaking before the convention of the department of superintendence of the National Education Association here today, said:

"The cause of free public education is more sacred and of more fundamental importance than almost any other before our people. It is one that awakens the profound interest of the people and commands the greatest and most willing sacrifice by the taxpaying public. The consequence of this fervor is that our school systems are not as much scrutinized as they should be. Indeed, it is now difficult for the public of a community to learn the facts as to the thoroughness of the discipline and of the knowledge imparted in their schools or of economy in the expenditure of their funds devoted to education. Parents are themselves not qualified to pass upon the result of a public school system in a town, county or district in such a way as to make their opinion the best criterion. Hence there is great opportunity for fustian and shoddy in the product concealed under a cloak of a pretentious curriculum and glowing annual reports."

"What we need in the country is an opportunity for standardization and comparison of school systems in the different states and different cities. This, I think, we might have by establishing what Washington recommended—a national university in Washington."

"The bureau of education might well be enlarged into a university which should not be a teaching university, but one with a corps of experts who could offer to the people of all the states and the people of all local communities, the opportunity of having their respective school systems examined and reported on as to proper scope, efficiency, thoroughness and economy. The same university should hold periodical examinations in convenient parts of the country which any person might upon payment of a small fee take and if successful receive a certificate equivalent to a degree in certain established courses."

"All this would be voluntary; but if the system were impartial, thorough and wisely severe, as it should be, the value of the reports and the value of the certificates would become great. They would assure the people of a community that they were getting their money's worth from a school system officially approved by such a university, and by assuring them that graduates of their school could obtain degrees from such examinations. Thus we should soon have a standardization of our school systems of the highest value."

"The pressure of the taxpayers upon their particular school authorities to apply for an examination and report would be so great that it would soon become equivalent to a compulsory system. It would stimulate school authorities to earnest work. It would eliminate shoddy, pretence and show; would minimize exploiting and publicity methods; and would give a proof of excellence and comparative high standing that would be incontestable. I tried to secure larger appropriations in my administration for the Bureau of Education with a view of beginning the system in a small way, but was unsuccessful."

# RUSS ON OFFENSIVE

London, Feb. 25.—Russian troops have reinvaded Buckowna near Czernowitz, according to the Evening News.

The Austrians, the dispatch adds, are pushing up their troops toward Czernowitz to meet this new Russian attack.

# STILL ANOTHER BRITON SUNK

London, February 25.—One sailor lost his life when the small British steamer Deptford was sent to the bottom in 20 minutes, either by a German torpedo from a submarine, or by coming in contact with a mine in the North sea at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, at a point off Scarborough.

The 15 other members of the crew were saved and were landed at South Shields at an early hour this morning.

After hours in an open and leaking boat, in a snowstorm which caused them to suffer acutely, they finally reached shore in safety.

# CLAIM LOCKJAW IS GREATEST ENEMY OF WOUNDED MEN

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 25.—Announcement was made today on behalf of the Rockefeller Institute of the invention of an apparatus and the discovery of a new method of treatment both designed to reduce the mortality from tetanus.

The announcement said that after an exhaustive investigation of conditions of wounded troops in Europe the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research had determined that lockjaw was the greatest scourge of the war. Tetanus germs thrived in the highly cultivated soil of Europe, the investigators found.

# SENATE MAY HOLD AN EXTRA

Washington, Feb. 25.—Possibilities of an extra session of the Senate alone after March 4, for consideration of treaties and nominations were being discussed today among leaders and while White House officials refused to discuss the subject. It was known President Wilson is giving it consideration.

# OLD ENGLAND MAY DECLARE BLOCKADE AT ANY MOMENT

London, Feb. 25.—The proposals of Washington to Great Britain and Germany, which are in London assumed to embrace the abandonment of Germany's self declared war zone and the adoption by the belligerents of some definite policy regarding foodstuffs for the civilian populations have noticeably quickened the public interest, both in this country and in Germany, in this delicate diplomatic situation.

The British press in general is restrained in tone, but the average Englishman plainly resents what he considers a hint and an attempt to interfere with the absolute blockade of Germany, should Great Britain care to enforce this with her sea power.

In the meanwhile, and in spite of the sinking of four more British merchantmen, involving the loss of four lives, Great Britain still holds out from declaring food destined to

# HAMILTONIANS COOLING DOWN

By Associated Press.  
Columbus, O., Feb. 25.—Members of the Hamilton county delegation agreed shortly before convening of the session today not to introduce today the resolution for adjournment March 15th, which Representative



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## DOWNED BY SUBMARINES

London, Feb. 25.—Great Britain has suffered another considerable naval loss, according to an announcement by the admiralty, in the armed merchant cruiser Clan MacNaughton, which has been missing since Feb. 3, and which is believed to have gone down with 280 men on board. The admiralty ascribes the disaster to bad weather which prevailed at the time, but there is a feeling in some quarters that German submarines are responsible.

The British steamer Oakby was bound in ballast from London for Cardiff, Wales, when a torpedo struck her on the port side and exploded with such force that her main hatches were blown off, her decks were splintered and one lifeboat was smashed. The fishing smack Gratia was four miles away, but she felt the shock and hastened to the scene, arriving in time to take off the crew of the steamer, which sank.

The Roy Parana, a small steamship plying between the Tyne and Elba, was sunk about eight miles off Beacay Head. The crew of thirty-one men were landed at New Haven, and reported that they had no warning until the explosion of the torpedo stood their vessel on her beam ends.

The destruction of a German "ungersien" boat is reported from Paris. The French minister of marine announcing that one of the German raiders was sunk after a cannonade off Cape Alprecht, near Boulogne. It was not stated whether the feat was accomplished by shore batteries or by French destroyers.

## MOTHERS' PENSION BILL IS PASSED

Dover, Del., Feb. 25.—The white senate passed the mothers' pension bill, framed after the Wisconsin law.

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# SALARY BILL PUT THROUGH HOUSE

Members, However, Knock Out the Emergency Clause.

### SEVERAL AMENDMENTS MADE

Resolution For Investigation of State Civil Service Commission Receives Only Eight Votes—Black Bill Without Emergency Clause Passes the Lower Branch—Other Measures Considered by General Assembly.

Columbus, Feb. 25.—The house by a vote of 79 to 19 passed the Howard senate bill providing for salary reductions, but refused to attach an emergency clause to the measure. Representative Fleming of Mahoning succeeded in breaking the Republican solidarity and with the aid of the Hamilton county delegation and the Democrats defeated the Republican floor leader, Frank Whittemore, and won the restoration to \$5,000 of the salaries of the members of the state board of administration, which the senate had cut to \$4,000.

Representative Rover of Cincinnati, declaring the bill carried out the Republican platform pledge for economy, rallied the Republican forces and defeated an effort made by the minority leader, John F. Kramer, to save the job of Secretary Haswell of the board. The senate had amended the bill which had cut out the secretary but had reduced the salary from \$3,000 to \$1,800. Whittemore's amendment to eliminate the senate's amendment and to require one of the four members of the board to act as secretary was carried, 56 to 41.

At the request of State Auditor Donahy, made through Representative Smith of Morgan, the dropping of one of three supervisors of public accounting at \$3,000 was deferred until Sept. 25, the beginning of the school year.

The bill reduces pay of the members of the taxation and industrial commissions from \$5,000 to \$4,000, members of the utilities commission from \$6,000 to \$4,500, Supreme Court Reporter E. O. Randall from \$4,000 to \$3,000, and makes other changes.

Hits Civil Service Probe.  
The Hoy resolution for an investigation of the state civil service commission died an inglorious death, only eight members voting for it and even its author voting against it, after vainly trying to stem the tide of opposition.

The house refused to attach the emergency clause to the Black bill, which was passed, to transfer the women's reformatory at Marysville from the building commission to the state board of administration, but attached the clause to the Danford bill, authorizing filling vacancies in jury commissions in time for the spring term of court.

The house passed the Cowan hawk county bill, for payment of \$1 bounty for the killing of every chicken hawk, blue hawk, duck hawk, Cooper hawk and sharp-shinned hawk; the Garver bill cutting off fees of prosecuting attorneys in cases in which they permit taxpayers to bring instead of bringing themselves; the Morris bill, exempting one-story school buildings from specifications for exit floors and windows, and the Klein bill, making it a misdemeanor to prevent an arrested person consulting in private an attorney.

With only slight opposition, the senate passed the Mooney bill, requiring vehicles of all kinds using the public highways except hay wagons and pushcarts to display lights at night.

Senator Gallagher introduced his bill providing for the creation of a fish and game commission of five non-

partisan members to manage the department, which was eliminated from the Mallow agricultural board bill. The Gallagher measure restores the old method of management.

Senator Cass of Putnam county introduced a bill which is a codification of the present road laws of Ohio with some new features. The basis of the bill is the report of the commission appointed by Governor Cox to revise the highway laws of the state. Under the Cass measure the highway department would be under one commissioner at \$4,000 a year. County surveyors are made county superintendents, with increase of salary. The bill provides for an equal division of the money from the levy for highway improvement and automobile tax between the main market and inter-county highways. All improvements will be done in accordance with plans prescribed by the state highway department.

## OHIO BRIEFS

### Director Bolin Retires.

Columbus, Feb. 25.—Stuart L. Bolin of Columbus, director of the legislative reference bureau, will retire Monday. He will step out as the result of the filing with Governor Willis of a request for his resignation. The request was preferred by the state library commission and was made on the score of economy. G. A. Edge, Columbus, assistant director, will have charge of the bureau until the end of the present session. It is then the intention to abolish the bureau.

### Militarism In Public Schools.

Cincinnati, Feb. 25.—The introduction of militarism into the public schools of the United States would be "organized insanity," according to N. C. Schaeffer, state superintendent of public schools of Pennsylvania, before the department of superintendence of the National Education association. The entire program was devoted to discussion on this topic.

### Lawyer Shot.

Youngstown, O., Feb. 25.—Police are trying to determine whether the wounds of Roscoe Winnagle, a lawyer of Warren, who was shot through the body, are self-inflicted. Winnagle was to have been given a preliminary hearing Saturday on a charge of blackmail. He says he was shot by an unknown woman.

### Former Legislator Dead.

London, Feb. 25.—James W. Bell, who represented Madison county in the lower house in the Seventy-first and Seventy-second General assemblies, is dead. For fourteen years Mr. Bell had held a responsible position in the treasury department at Washington.

### Girl Killed In Auto.

Cincinnati, Feb. 25.—Miss Doris Meeks, eighteen, was instantly killed, and another young woman and three men were more or less seriously injured, when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a streetcar.

### Postmaster Robbed.

Bloomdale, O., Feb. 25.—Two burglars entered the home of Postmaster J. E. Simon and forced him to give up \$300 and other valuables. They also stole a number of blank money orders. The robbers escaped.

### Loses Mind; Then Dies.

Marletta, O., Feb. 25.—A few hours after becoming violently insane, H. Fred Curtis, forty-three, a druggist, died. He leaves a wife and three children.

## FRENCH MAKE NEW ADVANCES

Paris, Feb. 25.—The following official communique was issued by the war office: "From the Lys to the Aisne there have been artillery fights which were at times of a lively character, and all favorable to us. In Champagne north of Meuse, we have achieved new gains and repulsed several counter attacks. On the heights of the Meuse our artillery has silenced several German batteries. Additional reports indicate that our success at Les Eparges was of particular importance and that the enemy's losses were very heavy. On a very small part of the front captured by us we have already found more than 600 bodies of Germans. We have advanced in the Bois Brule (forest of Apremont)."

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## VOTE ON NEW LIQUOR BILL NEXT WEEK

Cleveland Judge Holds Bill Dangerous Politically.

Columbus, Feb. 25.—Senator McDermott, at the close of the second public hearing on the McDermott bill, administration measure for decentralizing the regulation of the liquor traffic, said he would endeavor to have the bill set for a vote in the senate next Wednesday. Chairman Deaton of the house liquor traffic committee said he favored holding back other temperance and liquor bills until action was taken by the senate on the McDermott measure.

At the hearing, Judge Louis B. Winch of Cleveland, former appellate judge, opposing the bill, said it was dangerous politically. He charged that in Cleveland leaders of both political parties had made a corrupt deal whereby Cuyahoga county last fall went wet and Democratic, while in Cincinnati a similar deal put Hamilton county wet and Republican. The passage of the McDermott bill, he said, would be followed by referendum, and the municipal elections this fall again would be thrown into the wet and dry vortex. The court appeal provided in the bill, he said, would drive liquor dealers to vote for judges they hoped would be favorable to their interests.

Senator McDermott replied there had been only four liquor cases in court the last year, and that the fear of liquor influence in the election of judges was fanciful.

Representative Andrew Fleming of Mahoning, himself the author of a license decentralizer, said the legislature was bound by a popular mandate to decentralize, that the McDermott bill did so, that it saved expense and gave more home rule.

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## GOVERNMENT WAR RISK BUREAU SUSPENDS

Washington, Feb. 25.—The first tangible result in Washington of the sinking of the American steamships Evelyn and Carib in the mine area of the North sea was action of the government bureau of war risk insurance in deciding upon the temporary suspension of insurance on ships bound for north European ports.

## SENATE RESTORES POSTAL SALARIES

Washington, Feb. 25.—The senate passed the postoffice appropriation bill, carrying appropriations aggregating \$322,000,000. The senate made increases in the bill of \$2,700,000 over the aggregate reported from the post-office committee. These represented the restoration of sums struck out by the committee as a matter of economy and affected the compensation of letter carriers, both city and rural. Only ten senators voted to sustain the committee in the cut it had proposed in the compensation of rural carriers. Under the scale as finally passed the rural carriers will have a salary graduated according to the length of route served, being \$1,200 a year maximum for a route of twenty-four miles and \$480 minimum for a route of four miles. A proviso is added authorizing the postmaster general in his discretion to allow salaries of \$1,800 a year to carriers who furnish their own motor vehicles and serve routes of not less than fifty miles long.

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## Cutting The Salaries

Economy in all things is wholesome and should be encouraged. Economy is the road to wealth and no real prosperity can come to any individual or to any business enterprise unless true economy is practiced.

The big business concerns of this country have long since learned that it is absolutely imperative, if success is to come, that economy be practiced and the most rigid rules, therefore, have been laid down and enforced in order that there be no waste—no unnecessary expenses.

While the necessity for the adoption of principles of economy have long been recognized in private business and while practically all successful private business is conducted these days under the most rigid observance of rules of strict economy, the public business has not, as a rule, fared so well.

Extravagance in conducting the public business has been slow to give way before the demand for economy.

It is only within the last few years that the advocacy of economy in public business—or rather practicing economy in the public business—has become popular.

Now the reform in the method of handling the public business is on in earnest.

The present state administration is making its chief bid for public favor by cutting salaries and reducing the cost of running the state government.

In its drive along the line of economy, however, the state administration should remember that the fixing of salaries at a figure below that which is a just compensation for the service demanded will result in driving from public positions men whose services are valuable and will attract many who are willing to accept public place at the low figure, whose services are valueless to the people and whose lack of moral character may result in the perpetration of a great and grave wrong on the public.

While economy in the matter of salaries paid to public officials is praiseworthy, and all efforts to establish principles of economy in that respect should be encouraged we should always be mindful of that other principle so vital to business, both public and private, that every man should be paid according to the value of the service rendered.

It is better economy to pay a good man a fair salary—a man competent to discharge the duties of his position ably and conscientiously—than it is to pay an incompetent man one-half the sum who is unable to discharge the duties of the place.

Men are paid princely salaries by large business interests which practice the most rigid economy and these men—specialists in their lines of work—are sent to combat with public officials. To meet these skilled men the public servant must be able, alert and honest else the interests of the people will suffer through ignorance or dishonesty.

Skilled men cannot be expected to labor for the public at a niggardly salary and they will not do so.

Filling up the public places of importance with incompetents is the very worst form of extravagance.

Cutting salaries without rhythm or reason is a mistaken idea of economy. The payment of exorbitant or unnecessary salaries should be frowned down, but it is a mistake to think that low salaries alone will ensure to the public good.

The public needs and desires above all else, efficient, able service from public officials, and they should be paid what those services are worth—no more and no less. That's economy.



## Council of National Defense Needed to Safeguard the Country's Welfare :: ::

By GEORGE VON L. MEYER, Former Secretary of the Navy

THE present war has demonstrated that it is equally as important to the grain growers of the west, to the cotton planters of the south, to the manufacturers of the east or to the merchants of the interior states that we should have a proper fleet to protect our country from any enemy.

IF OUR FLEET COULD BE HELD IN PORT AS THE GERMAN FLEET IS BEING HELD THE EXPORT OF EVERY KIND OF GOODS AND THE ENTIRE COMMERCE THROUGHOUT THE LAND WOULD BE PARALYZED.

A council of national defense is absolutely necessary for military efficiency in the future of this country. It was established in England in 1900. It exists in all great nations except the United States. It was taken up in France two years ago.

One of its important results would be the establishing of a definite policy and co-operation between the executive and legislative bodies of the government, which has been so lacking. AND A MORE COMPREHENSIVE UNDERSTANDING OF THE LEGISLATING BODIES BECAUSE THEY WOULD HAVE REPRESENTATIVES ON THE BOARD AND WOULD KNOW DIRECTLY WHAT WAS GOING ON.

## Poetry For Today

### GLAD TIDINGS.

The price of eggs is going down!  
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All labeled "Strictly Fresh"—feel  
We now can serve them at each meal.  
Yes, if so minded, we can use  
One now and then for hair shampoos.  
I seem, indeed, a millionaire  
To have an egg or two to spare!

The winter through I stood before  
The window at the grocery store  
And weighed the question pro and con,  
Then passed up eggs and hurried on.

All grades there were—good, bad and worse—  
Only the last grade touched my purse  
The grocer watched me count my hoard  
And then groan, "Eggs I can't afford!"

His pitying grins so hurt my pride  
That I shall never go inside  
His store again—just put that down!  
These eggs I bought these eggs of Brown.

I can't believe I'm in the flesh—  
Four dozen eggs and strictly fresh!  
We'll have some cooked for breakfast, Gee!  
I think I can dispose of three!  
—Chicago News.

## Weather Report

Washington, Feb. 25.—Ohio and lower Michigan—Snow flurries Thursday; Friday fair.

Tennessee, Kentucky and West Virginia—Fair Thursday and probably Friday.

Illinois and Indiana—Partly cloudy Thursday; Friday fair.

### THE WEATHER

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 7 p. m. Wednesday:

	Temp.	Weather.
New York	46	Rain
Boston	52	Rain
Buffalo	32	Cloudy
Washington	52	Cloudy
Columbus	35	Cloudy
Chicago	34	Snow
St. Louis	36	Cloudy
Minneapolis	32	Clear
Los Angeles	52	Cloudy
New Orleans	56	Clear
Seattle	48	Cloudy
Tampa	60	Clear

Forecast.  
Washington, Feb. 25.—Indications for tomorrow:  
Ohio—Fair.

## GOOD SUGGESTION TO WASHINGTON C. H. PEOPLE.

It is surprising the amount of old, foul matter the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-i-ka, drains from the system. This remedy became famous by curing appendicitis and acts on BOTH the upper and lower bowel so thoroughly that ONE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation almost IMMEDIATELY. We are mighty glad we are Washington C. H. agents for Adler-i-ka. F. Christopher, druggist. adv.

## THREE ENGLISH AIRMEN MISSING

London, Feb. 25.—It is officially announced that three of the airmen who participated in the raid on German positions in Belgium are missing.

## COLLARS

We Do The Finest Work In Town

They have better color and finish, and are not soft and spongy.

Try Us This Week

**Rothrock's LAUNDRY**  
Family Wash 6c

## Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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### Paw Knows Everything.

Willie—Paw, what is a bigamist? Paw—A bigamist is a man who is so fond of trouble that he looks for it twice, my son. Maw—Willie, you go out and take a walk.

### You've Met Him.

Beware of the man who is half shot; He is a pest, by jing. For he can talk an awful lot And never say a thing.

### Mean Brute!

"So you are to be married next month," said Mrs. Gabb. "Have you selected the day?"

"No," replied Miss Gush. "But any day will do except the thirteenth. Don't you think the thirteenth is an unlucky day on which to be married?" "It isn't as unlucky as the ninth," growled Mr. Gabb.

"Why not?" asked Miss Gush. "Because I was married on the ninth," replied Mr. Gabb.

### Fact.

"Though money talks," said wise old Ben. "And oft sounds like a riot, It never talks as loud as when You want to keep it quiet."

### Correct.

"What is the most difficult disease you have to contend with?" asked the student. "Imagination," replied the doctor.

### Wuff!

"You used to call me kitten," cried His wife to Binks, the surly pup. "I did, but since then," he replied, "I've found that kittens will grow up."

### Our Own Popular Songs.

#### THE SOILED SKIRT.

The evening bells were ringing and the streets were filled with dew. When downtown came a working girl to meet her lover true.

He said that he would take her to a moving picture show, And, as she waited for him, she was eager to go.

At last he came and met her as she stood there on the street, He gave her the once over from her head down to her feet.

"Say, Mame," he said, "yer skirt looks bum, for it is torn and patched, And there is spots all over it and no two spots is matched."

Yer waist is pretty decent, and I will pass up yer hat, But I can't go out with a dame who wears a skirt like that!"

The poor girl looked down at her skirt and saw the ragged hem; She never thought her fellow would say cruel words like them.

At last she raised her head and though the tears was in her eye She bravely faced that fellow and did make this here reply:

### Chorus.

"I know you now for what you are, and I will go my way; You are ashamed of me because my skirt ain't new and gay. Your words is awful cruel and you don't know how they hurt The loving heart that beats beneath this soiled and ragged skirt!"

### Names Is Names.

Paris Green lives at Ceredo, W. Va.

### Ouch!

A man near Beloit had a fight with a skunk, and when they were through was hard to tell which one was the skunk.—Beloit (Mo.) News.

### Things to Worry About.

The price of rattlesnake venom has gone up to \$5 per ounce.

### Our Daily Special.

Getting rich quick usually means going broke in a hurry.

### Luke McLuke Says:

Cheer up! We have just had a peep at a document describing the new spring fashion dresses, and, according to the illustrations, some of the coming gowns will make a Zulu belle who is wearing nothing but a gee string feel overdressed.

A woman who was rummaging through some old stuff discovered a waist that she had worn some fifteen years ago. And she found enough material in each sleeve to make a perfectly good modern skirt.

What has become of the old fashioned tad who used to wear his hat in the house?

Some men play poker, and others satisfy their gambling instinct by marrying grass widows.

A man can have a face like a cement crusher and be so homely that it hurts him to pass a mirror, but that doesn't prevent his wife from believing that all the blonds downtown have designs on him and that he would lead a double life if he got a chance.

When a man spends \$5 for raffle tickets and wins something worth 33 cents the fellows who didn't win it never get done talking about some people having all the luck.

Father will go into a quick lunch dump where the waiters wipe the dishes on their sleeves, and he will enjoy every mouthful he eats. But if he sits down to the table at home and mother happens to leave a thumb print on his plate father gets so disgusted that he can't eat a mouthful.

Anyway, Eve never made Adam get behind her to tell her if her brassiere was crossed straight in the back.

And Adam never got up in the morning and found his best black silk tie lying in a pile of pink and white face powder on a bedroom dresser.

When she is sixteen she is afraid that the men will try to flirt with her. When she is twenty-six she is afraid that they won't.

# Mail Subscriptions

We are prepared to fill mail subscriptions to persons residing outside of Washington and other cities and towns where daily papers are on sale, as follows:

Daily Herald Commercial-Tribune Up-to-Date Farming All one year \$4.50	Daily Herald Columbus Citizen Both One Year \$4.50
Daily Herald Columbus Journal With Ladies' World or National Stockman Price \$5.25	Daily Herald Columbus Dispatch With National Stockman or Today's Magazine Price \$5.25
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Washington C. H., Ohio

## WASHINGTON'S WANTS REVEALED TO ALLIES

Washington, Feb. 25.—Great Britain has submitted to her allies, France and Russia, the proposals made by the United States government designed to end the menace to neutral commerce arising from the retaliatory measures of the European belligerents toward each other. Briefly, the American proposals which have been submitted to both England and Germany seek the elimination by Germany of the recently prescribed war zone around Great Britain and Ireland, with its dangers to neutral shipping through mines and submarine torpedoes, and the adoption by all the belligerents of a definite policy with regard to the shipment of foodstuffs destined for the civilian population of their enemies.

### PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

#### Diet For Sciatic Patients.

The newest discoveries indicate that part of the treatment of every sciatic patient should consist of a diet in which fats predominate. He should have milk, cream, eggs, butter, marrow, bacon and oils, mayonnaise dressing and cheese. He should have frequent feedings between meals in addition to three large meals at the usual hours. Forced feeding is almost as essential as rest. The principal foods to be avoided are those abounding in the proteids. Therefore meats, especially the red meats, must be eaten sparingly.

### Growing Children

frequently need a food tonic and tissue builder for their good health.

**Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion**  
containing Hypophosphites  
is the prescription for this.  
Blackmer & Tanquary.

### DAILY TIME TABLE.

BALTIMORE & OHIO S. W.	GOING WEST	GOING EAST
No. Cincinnati	No. Columbus	
105..5:05 a. m. d	110..5:05 a. m. *	
101..7:33 a. m. *	104..10:42 a. m. d	
103..3:34 p. m. d	108..5:55 p. m. *	
107..6:13 p. m. d	106..10:53 p. m. d	
East-bound 114, Sundays, 4:19 a. m.		

PENNSYLVANIA LINES.	GOING WEST	GOING EAST
No. Cincinnati	No. Zanesville	
21..9:20 a. m. *	6..9:42 a. m. *	
19..3:50 p. m. *	134..5:45 p. m. *	
Sunday to Cincinnati	7:40 a. m.	
Sunday to Lancaster	8:28 p. m.	

C. H. & D.	GOING NORTH	GOING SOUTH
No. Dayton	No. Wellston	
201..9:21 a. m. d	202..9:42 a. m. d	
203..4:12 p. m. *	204..6:08 p. m. d	

DETROIT TOLEDO & IRONTON	GOING NORTH	GOING SOUTH
No. Springfield	No. Greenfield	
2..7:47 a. m. *	5..11:33 a. m. d	
6..4:15 p. m. d	1..7:00 p. m. *	
d. Daily	* Daily except Sunday	

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Henry Hoppes, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that Amy Hoppes has been duly appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Henry Hoppes, late of Fayette county, Ohio, deceased.  
Dated this 15th day of February, 1915.

RELL G. ALLEN,  
Judge of the Probate Court.  
Fayette County, Ohio.  
No. 1814.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Rachel A. Hopkins, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that J. W. Hopkins has been duly appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Rachel A. Hopkins, late of Fayette county, Ohio, deceased.  
Dated this 12th day of February, 1915.

RELL G. ALLEN,  
Judge of the Probate Court.  
Fayette County, Ohio.  
No. 1817.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate court of Fayette county, Ohio.

The state of Ohio, Fayette county, ss.

To whom it may concern:  
Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of said court, By administrators of

1750 Esther Pinkerton.  
By executors of  
1696 Simeon P. Van Pelt.  
By trustee of  
1608 Allen Judy.  
By guardians of  
605 Harry Smith  
726 Laura Free  
936 Gordon Worley  
936 Gordon, David and Brice Worley  
1000 Victor P. Smith.

All persons interested in said accounts or trusts in any way whatever will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on the 20th day of March, 1915, at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that date or at such other time as the court may designate.

RELL G. ALLEN,  
Probate Judge.  
February 11th, 1915.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Catherine Lininger, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that Humphrey Jones has been duly appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Catherine Lininger, late of Fayette county, Ohio, deceased.  
Dated this 11th day of February, 1915.

RELL G. ALLEN,  
Judge of the Probate Court.  
Fayette County, Ohio.  
No. 1815.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate court of Fayette county, Ohio.

The State of Ohio, Fayette County, ss.

To whom it may concern:  
Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of said court, By Administrators of

1764 J. S. Dixon  
By Executors of  
1745 Mary E. Hardesty  
By Guardians of  
643 Earl M. Glisson  
946 Edith Sturgeon  
1001 Arthur McVey.

All persons interested in said accounts or trusts in any way whatever will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on the 27th day of March, 1915, at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that date or at such other time as the court may designate.

RELL G. ALLEN,  
Probate Judge.  
February 18, 1915.  
Delicious brown cakes made from Mrs. Austin's Bag Pancake Flour. All grocers. adv



# FIVE HUNDRED PERSONS WITNESS GYM EXHIBITION

Splendid Work of Women's Physical Culture Class Roundly Applauded—Amazing Work of Wm. H. Taylor Features Entertainment and Wins Applause of the Big Audience

## TAYLOR'S MARKS.

Will Taylor, local boy and junior champion standing jumper of the world, performed before 500 spectators at the Ladies' Gymn Class Exhibition in Memorial Hall, Wednesday night.

The lengths attained by Taylor and their comparison with the records of Platt Adams, world's standing jump champion, follow: Standing broad—

Taylor, 10 feet 4 inches.

Adams, 10 feet 8 inches.

3-stand broad jump—

Taylor, 33 feet 3 inches.

Adams 34 feet.

High stand jump—

Taylor, 5 feet 2 inches.

Adams, 5 feet 1 inch.

Taylor's marks, are, of course, unofficial, and not his best, owing to handicap of performing on a board floor, the absence of spiked shoes and the necessity of restraint. Taylor did not put himself to his best effort because it is necessary for him to save his "springs" for the big national meet in New York next Thursday, where he will compete with Platt Adams, jump for jump.

It is believed by official dopers, as well as Taylor's friends, that he will have taken Adams' laurels after this meet.

Memorial Hall was packed to its doors with spectators Wednesday night, the occasion of the Second Annual Exhibition of the Ladies' Gymn Class, and the frequent and unanimous expression of the auditors pronounced the event even more successful than last year's as well as indicating a public demand for further repetitions.

It is estimated that approximately 500 guests were accommodated. Physical Director J. W. McClung was the master of ceremonies and handled the exhibition in an able manner.

The chief feature of the bill, as announced, were the special stunts of James Kneisley, blind gymnast, and Will Taylor, champion jumper. Kneisley's work on the parallel bars was nothing short of sensational, and even his closest friends were amazed at his ability. During his "trick," as one person expressed it, "you could have heard a pin drop," so intense was the attention of the crowd. Taylor quite lived up to his notices. What he accomplished has been told, but the approval expressed by his audience was the thrilling feat-

ure and testified to his popularity among his home people.

Physical Director McClung, himself, is not to be forgotten. His perfect interpretation of the Spanish Tambourine Dance was a new and pleasing revelation of this versatile gymnast.

As for the work of the gymn class members, last mentioned but not least appreciated, it was above criticism. It was not perfect, true, but it was nearer perfection than might have been expected, and was, on the whole, one of the best athletic programs ever offered in Washington. The Garland drill and Scarf dance of the girls' class were especially good, as were the Indian club drill and the Fado polka of the ladies' class.

The Buck gymnastic work of several of the little girls received a warm applause. Miss Rosalie Slagle leader, Miss Alice Parrett and little Miss Billie Bowen were the chief performers.

Miss Gladys Butcher did excellent work as the evening's pianist.

The members of the ladies' and girls' classes taking part in the exhibition are as follows:

Ladies:—Dr. Florence Rankin, Pauline Pine, Emily Tanzey, Essyle Thornton, Eva Thornton, Jessie Mantle, Onelta Buck, Frances Buck, Clara Thurston, Vera Veall, Mrs. Grace Hyer, Leta Clark, Marie Hegler, Frances Cox, Mrs. Luellen, Myrtle McCoy, Mrs. Durham, Ida Hayes, Mrs. Margaret McClung.

Girls:—Helen Baker, Sarah Baker, Louise Melvin, Alice Parrett, Rosalie Slagle, Maty Foreman, Billie Bowen, Gail Bowen, Jocelyn Bowen, Mary Murphy, Laura Brownell, Rona Brownell, Mary Brownell, Elizabeth Brownell, Portia Brownell, Maxine Kibbler, Marian Whelpley, Ruth Grafton, Marie Tharp, Virginia Coons.

## LAST RITES OVER G. A. R. VETERAN

The funeral services of Mr. Wm. H. Snider, formerly of this city, who died at the Sandusky Soldiers' Home, the body brought here for burial, were held Wednesday afternoon at Memorial hall.

A number of old acquaintances and friends, and members of G. A. R. organizations, gathered at the hall with the immediate relatives of the deceased.

The Ladies' Circle of the G. A. R. held their flag service and placed the flag upon the soldier's breast, before Rev. F. E. Ross assumed charge.

The minister read a short memoir and drew applications from the soldier's life in a short talk, his theme, "Life as a Warfare".

Mrs. Arthur Burgett sang very

sweetly the solo of the Circle service, "Abide With Me", and later, "Rock of Ages."

The comrades then took charge and the beautiful G. A. R. ritual, under the auspices of R. B. Hayes Post, closed the services impressively.

The interment was made in the Washington cemetery, with the pallbearers, six old soldiers, Comrades James Buzick, Eli Bereman, Merritt Sturgeon, Al Bonecutter, H. E. Pearce, John Arnold.

## STREET CROSSINGS IN HORRIBLE SHAPE

Pedestrians have had quite a little difficulty in crossing some of the main street intersections, during the past few days, without being plastered with the liberal supply of mud and filth upon the crossings.

One of the worst examples is the intersection of Court and North streets, where the mud is carried upon the paving, forming a slippery, filthy mess through which women and children, as well as men and boys, are compelled to wade in order to reach the sidewalks.

Some of the sidewalks have been in equally dangerous and disagreeable condition, and there is a general cry for a thorough cleanup of sidewalks and crossings.

## BURNED THEIR HOME AND ALL IN VAIN

Samuel Alberts, 64 years, and son Edward, 20, of Ross county, are in jail after confessing that they set fire to their home in order to collect the insurance.

The insurance on the house and contents was \$1200, and the men figured that the insurance would pay their debts. However, they had forgotten that the policy was made payable to another man who held a mortgage on the farm, so that their efforts availed nothing, and they may serve a term in the penitentiary.

## CASE AGAINST FARMER DISMISSED

On application of the prosecuting attorney of Greene county, the case against Sherman Lewis, Bowersville farmer, who was arrested for breaking the state quarantine was dismissed.

The action was taken after the state authorities had consented. A more rigid quarantine on stock shipments will be placed upon the county of Greene, it is announced.

## CONTRACT AWARDED FOR CIRCLE AVENUE

O. M. Junk, of Chillicothe, with a bid of \$4,168.85 obtained the contract for the Circle avenue paving, between Main and North streets, and the work is to be done not later than June 17th of this year.

Nearly one dozen bids were submitted to the Board of Control, and that of Junk carried off the job. The work is to begin not later than March 20th.

Patronize the food sale Saturday the 27th.

Home-made eatables on sale Saturday at Summers' Piano Store.

# The Palace Theatre

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## "THE SPOILERS"

REX BEACH'S FAMOUS STORY IN NINE REELS

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William  
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## Great Pictures From A Great Story

The dance hall scene in the Alaskan frontier town—Helen Chester's escape from the smallpox ship—the wanton murder in the streets of Nome—The seizure of the mines by the powerful political boss, backed by a corrupted judge—The organization of the "Vigilantes"—The blowing up of the mines—the gambling hall scene where Glenister stakes his half of the Midas on the turn of a card—the awful night spent by Helen Chester in the deserted roadhouse alone with the passion-crazed Struve—The race with Fate through a terrific storm by Glenister and the Broncho Kid—The fight with bare hands between Glenister and McNamara—Betrothal of Glenister and Helen on the shore of the northern sea as the sun goes down in the west. These are a few of the scenes that gripped capacity audiences at the mammoth Strand Theatre, New York, and Chicago's class theatre, the Studebaker

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## ORBITS OF THE PLANETS.

Why They Are Eclipses and Cannot Become Perfect Circles.

Every eclipse has two foci. Kepler's second law is, "The orbits of all of the planets are ellipses, the sun being in one common focus of them all." All of the other foci are empty space. The eccentricities of orbits of all planets vary on account of the attraction of all the other planets making variations. Some are decreasing while others are increasing, but none can ever become exact circles since there are eight mutually disturbing planets.

That of the earth's orbit is now decreasing and, according to the French astronomer Leverrier, who took time to make elaborate mathematical researches in this part of astronomy, will continue to decrease during about 24,000 years, but will not vanish, making the earth's orbit an exact circle, and then will begin to increase.

The orbit of Venus now has the least eccentricity and is therefore nearer a true circle than any other orbit, but it cannot become a circle, one reason being the disturbance caused by the huge mass of the earth. One earth revolving around one sun, both trillions of miles away from any other disturbing, could traverse a true circle.—Edgar Lucien Larkin in New York American.

## Aluminium Bronze.

Aluminium bronze was invented by the French chemist Deville in 1859 and was used experimentally for the manufacture of domestic utensils and articles of jewelry. It has the color of gold and retains its brilliancy, not being attacked by salt water or the atmosphere. It consists of 10 per cent of aluminium to 90 of copper. It has tenacity of Bessemer steel and when heated is easily forged and rolled.

Fresh Fish of all kinds, and Oysters.

Washington Meat Market  
Fayette Street. 4612

The ladies of the East End Mission will hold a food sale of home-made eatables Saturday, February 27, at the Summers' Piano Store. 473

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## Blacksmithing

We wish to state to the customers of the late J. Frank Morgan and the public in general that we have secured the services of Marshal White, of Portsmouth, O., who is a practical shoer and general shop mechanic. He will give you work prompt attention.

Morgan's Blacksmith Shop  
SOUTH FAYETTE STREET.

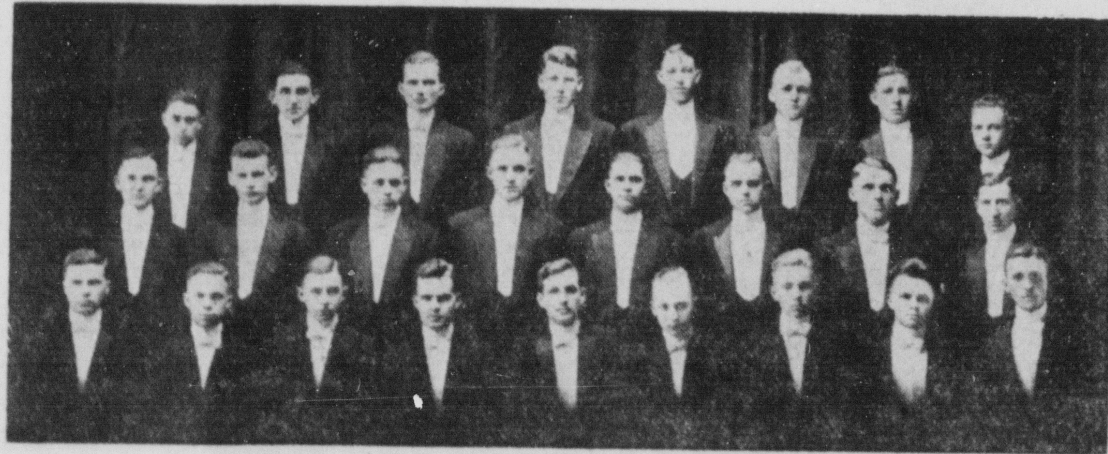
**W**HEN YOU attend the Men's Supper this evening there are several reasons why you should ask to be seated at the table in charge of Fayette County Fish and Game Protective Association,

The food will be excellent

The service beyond reproach

Souvenirs will be given

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The O. W. U. Glee club which will appear at the High School Auditorium Friday evening, February 26.

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Featuring FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN

The Ladies' Home Journal published this great story and at the same time ran a popularity contest for moving picture actors. Francis X. Bushman won the contest and plays the God in the picture, which is pronounced by critics as being one of the best ever produced.

### A GIPSY TALISMAN

BIOGRAPH COMEDY DRAMA

Vaudeville Friday and Saturday

#### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. E. E. Ginn was down from Columbus Wednesday, arranging to bring his family here the first of next week. He has rented one side of the Williams-Craig property on East street.

Mrs. D. W. H. Day, who was called from her home in Wichita, Kan., by the death of her brother, Mr. R. W. Vincent, is the guest of Mrs. J. C. Greiner this week.

Mrs. Laura Shoop returned Wednesday from a visit with her son, Mr. Leek Shoop and family in Columbus.

Mr. Ray Snider and wife of Union City are the guests of friends while here to attend the funeral of Mr. W. H. Snider.

Mrs. G. W. Blakeley is ill at her residence on Hinde street.

Mr. James Hagerty visited his wife, who is recovering from an appendicitis operation at the Mt. Carmel hospital in Columbus Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Roush, of Columbus, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Carey Phillips Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy entertained this week, Mrs. McCoy's cousin, Mrs. Laura McNemar, of Wilmington and sister Mrs. Jennette Cline, of Washington.

Mr. M. J. Hagerty, of the P. Hagerty Shoe Co., is a business visitor in Columbus.

Mrs. A. O. Ervin, of New Holland, was a shopping visitor here Thursday.

Mrs. Floyd Dunston, of Dayton, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. N. Shoop.

Miss Priscilla Wood, of Wilmington, comes down from the O. W. U. Friday to be Miss Helen Harper's guest for the O. W. U. Glee club concert. Miss Harper will also entertain Messrs. Sterling Rinear and Philip Lyons, of the Glee club.

Mr. D. S. Craig is a business visitor in Cincinnati today.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Robbins returned Wednesday evening from a ten days' visit with Mr. Robbins' mother at Robbins Station.

Mr. W. E. Summers returned Wednesday evening from a visit of several days in Kenton.

Mrs. Seymour Thomas and Mrs. Timmons were shopping visitors in this city from Mt. Sterling Thursday.

Mrs. Philip Uhrig came down from Madison Mills Thursday morning to

spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Tolen E. Brown.

Prosecuting Attorney Tom Mad-dux spent Thursday in Columbus, engaged in a case in Common Pleas court.

Gay Townsend, of Sabina, has joined the salesforce of the Jess W. Smith store, assuming his new duties Thursday. Mr. Townsend takes the place recently vacated by Darl Johnson, who has taken a position with the Washington Gas & Electric Co.

The basketball squad of St. Mary's Institute, Dayton, stopped in this city a few hours Thursday enroute to Dayton from New Lexington, where they played Wednesday night. While here they were the guests of Fred Hillery.

Will Taylor left Thursday morning for New York City where he will contest in the standing jump events against Platt Adams, world champion, at the national meet next Thursday. Taylor will represent the Illinois Athletic club and will go into training immediately on arrival in New York. He expects to wrest championship honors in two or three events from Adams.

Mrs. H. C. Anthoni enjoyably entertained the Thursday Bridge club this afternoon.

Mr. John Andrews, residing on one of the Willis farms near Bloomingburg, is recovering nicely at the Fayette hospital from an operation of a few days ago.

Mr. Marshall Boyer, of Jeffersonville, is one of the Fayette hospital patients who continues to improve.

Mrs. Maude Howland, of Bloomingburg, is a visitor in Columbus today.

#### In Social Circles

One of the most delightful Guild Kensingtons of the season was enjoyed by the ladies of the Presbyterian congregation in the parlors of the Cherry Hotel Wednesday afternoon, with Mesdames J. F. Dennis, Frank L. Stutson, H. D. Chaffin, C. D. Kidner, W. B. Gage, George Gregg and Miss Belle DeWitt the afternoon's hostesses.

There was a very large attendance and a victrola concert, of exceptionally fine records, in charge of Master John Crayton Griffith, added much to the afternoon's pleasure.

A dainty collation was served.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy entertained at their home just south of town with an elaborate four-course dinner. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Homer McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy, Mrs. Janette Cline, Mrs. Laura McNemar, of Wilmington and Mr. Charles McCartney.

#### CASE POSTPONED

The case in Judge Craig's court, in which Daniel Strait, of Paint township, is charged with deserting his bride of less than one month, has again been postponed, and will not be heard until Friday of next week.

Anybody can fill a room full of shoe machinery and call it a big shoe shop. That is what you call four-flushing. There is no four-flushing about Duffee. He can show you. Umbrellas recovered and repaired. We give rebate stamps. Next door to Adams Express office.

#### PRaises WORK OF ROSS COUNTIAN

The following note, from the Chillicothe News, will be of interest to local relatives and friends of Carey Hickie:

"An interesting booklet on coffee-growing in Porto Rico has been issued to call attention to the exhibit of Porto Rican coffee at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. It was written by Carey Hickie, formerly of this county and a member of the old Ross county Hickie family.

"The booklet tells of the coffee industry and of many other things of interest in the island. It is illustrated with reproductions of photographs of beautiful scenery, fine buildings and big industrial plants, showing that Porto Rico must be a most attractive place."

#### JUDGMENT TAKEN ON COGNOVIT NOTE

Judgment in the sum of \$750.62 was taken in Common Pleas court by C. U. Armstrong as administrator of the estate of Wm. Lucas, against O. O. Walters, Thursday morning.

The judgment was on a cognovit note, dated November 20, 1914, due February 20, 1915, and bearing interest at six per centum.

Remember the Old Songs concert will be given at the Presbyterian church, Friday evening, March 5th, at 7:30.

#### BAZAAR

The ladies of the Christian church will hold a bazaar March 27th.

Place and other particulars announced later.

NEW INITIAL STATIONERY. Crane's Rosepoint Initial Note Paper and Correspondence Cards at special 25c price, while the assortment lasts, at Rodecker's News Stand See window display.

SPECIAL STATIONARY SALE of Eaton-Crane's new Rosepoint initial in note paper and correspondence cards at Rodecker's, 25c per box while the assortment lasts.

You can buy your Sunday dinner at the food sale Saturday at Summer's Piano Store.

IMPERIAL REBEKAH LODGE. The entire team of Rebekah lodge No. 717, are requested to meet at I. O. O. F. hall Thursday evening, February 25th at 8 o'clock to consider business of importance and drill.

#### O. E. S.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will give a kensington in the parlors in Masonic Temple Friday afternoon, February 26th. Bring your carpet rags and spend a pleasant afternoon.

#### RUMMAGE SALE

The Women of St. Andrews Episcopal church will hold a rummage sale Saturday afternoon in the room formerly occupied by the DeWees photograph gallery in the Allen block, W. Court street. Any one willing to donate clothing or other articles please call 413.

#### CLASSIFIED

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The D. A. R. will meet in the tea room at the Y. M. C. A. on Monday March 8th, instead of March 1st, at 7:30 p. m.

Dr. R. M. Hughey will give an illustrated talk. A full attendance is desired.

#### SEWER WORK IS MOVING FORWARD

Regardless of the very disagreeable weather, the sewer work on North street is moving forward very nicely, and a large force of men have been finding employment in the big ditch.

When completed the sewer will be several hundred feet in length, and will offer accommodation to a large strip of territory not now reached by proper sewers.

As soon as the North street sewer is finished, other sewer work will be taken up by the Service Department, and before spring is over it is expected that the \$9,000 bond issue will be used up.

#### PRINCETON PLAYERS AT BLOOMINGBURG

The Princeton Players, featuring Dollie McDonnell, will furnish the next entertainment on the Bloomingburg Lyceum course. They are booked to appear there March 2. In this company are: Dollie McDonnell, reader and pianist; Lela Lowe, violinist; Adele Lawson, flutist and vocalist; M. Grace Callahan, basson and saxophone soloist.

The Princeton Players will introduce a number of interesting musical features including a pianologue by Miss McDonnell, a saxophone solo by Miss Callahan, and a basson solo, "The Letter Song."

#### SPRING PLOWING CAUSES TROUBLE

Charging the defendant with plowing up land which he had no right to touch, and that the land in question belonged to plaintiff and had been sown to grass, Grant Stoughton,

## MEN'S SUPPER TONIGHT

Paint township man has filed suit against Joseph Brock, Jr., asking for \$300 damages and a restraining order to prevent defendant plowing up more ground. The restraining order was issued.

Plaintiff states that he owns land which defendant rented to farm during 1914, and that the defendant has started the plow in land which had been sown to grass, and which he had no right to disturb.

E. L. Bush represents the plaintiff.

#### SPEEDERS MUST REDUCE SPEED

Chief Moore announces that persons who have been breaking the

#### ADMINISTRATRIX IS APPOINTED TODAY

Margaret Briggs, daughter of the late Sarah J. Briggs, was Thursday appointed administratrix of the estate of the deceased, furnishing bond in the sum of \$2600.

The personal property is valued at \$1300 and a house and lot at \$5,000.

#### DANCING SCHOOL

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Beginners' Class— Lesson 7:30 to 9:00.  
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# FULL TEXT OF OF LONDON ON NAVAL WAR

Code Defines Blockade, Search and Seizure, Convoy, Rights of Neutrals and Belligerents.

HEREWITH is printed the text of the "declaration of London" defining blockades, search and seizure, convoy and rights of neutrals and belligerents as signed by the delegates of the powers in 1909. In this declaration it is to be noted that the signatory powers agree that the rules of naval warfare it lays down "correspond in substance with the generally recognized principles of international law." It merely declares the "law of nations as it has existed and has been enforced." It is claimed that the fact that the declaration is itself not binding, because not all the powers have ratified it in its present form, does not mean at all that the recognized principles of international law on which it is based are not effective.

The declaration was signed by representatives of Germany, the United States, Austria-Hungary, France, Great Britain and the Netherlands.

Following the introductory paragraphs the declaration goes on as follows:

## CHAPTER I.—BLOCKADE IN TIME OF WAR.

Article 1.—A blockade must not extend beyond the ports and coasts belonging to or occupied by the enemy.

2.—In accordance with the declaration of Paris of 1856 a blockade, in order to be binding, must be effective—that is to say, it must be maintained by a force sufficient really to prevent access to the enemy coast line.

3.—The question whether a blockade is effective is a question of fact.

4.—A blockade is not regarded as raised if the blockading force is temporarily withdrawn on account of stress of weather.

5.—A blockade must be applied impartially to the ships of all nations.

6.—The commander of a blockading force may give permission to a warship to enter and subsequently to leave a blockaded port.

7.—In circumstances of distress, acknowledged by an officer of the blockading force, a neutral vessel may enter a place under blockade and subsequently leave it, provided that she has neither discharged nor shipped any cargo there.

8.—A blockade, in order to be binding, must be declared in accordance with article 9 and notified in accordance with articles 11 and 16.

9.—A declaration of blockade is made either by the blockading power or by the naval authorities acting in its name.

It specifies—

(1) The date when the blockade begins;

(2) The geographical limits of the coast line under blockade;

(3) The period within which neutral vessels may come out.

10.—If the operations of the blockading power or of the naval authorities acting in its name do not tally with the particulars, which, in accordance with article 9 (1) and (2), must be inserted in the declaration of blockade, the declaration is void, and a new declaration is necessary in order to make the blockade operative.

11.—A declaration of blockade is notified—

(1) To neutral powers, by the blockading power by means of a communication addressed to the governments direct or to their representatives accredited to it;

(2) To the local authorities, by the officer commanding the blockading force. The local authorities will, in turn, inform the foreign consular officers at the port or on the coast line under blockade as soon as possible.

12.—The rules as to declaration and notification of blockade apply to cases where the limits of a blockade are extended or where a blockade is re-established after having been raised.

13.—The voluntary raising of a blockade, or also any restriction in the limits of a blockade, must be notified in the manner prescribed in article 11.

14.—The liability of a neutral vessel to capture for breach of blockade is contingent on her knowledge, actual or presumptive, of the blockade.

15.—Failing proof to the contrary, knowledge of the blockade is presumed if the vessel left a neutral port subsequently to the notification of the blockade to the power to which such port belongs, provided that such notification was made in sufficient time.

16.—If a vessel approaching a blockaded port has no knowledge, actual or presumptive, of the blockade, the notification must be made to the vessel itself by an officer of one of the ships of the blockading force. This notification should be entered in the vessel's logbook and must state the day and hour and the geographical position of the vessel at the time.

If, through the negligence of the officer commanding the blockading force, notification of blockade has been notified to the local authorities, or if in the declaration as notified no period has been mentioned within which neutral vessels may come out, a neutral vessel coming out of the blockaded port must be allowed to pass free.

17.—Neutral vessels may not be captured for breach of blockade except within the area of operations of the warships detailed to render the blockade effective.

18.—The blockading force must not have access to neutral ports or coasts.

19.—Whatever may be the ulterior destination of a vessel or of her cargo she cannot be captured for breach of blockade if, at the moment, she is on her way to a nonblockaded port.

20.—A vessel which has broken blockade outward, or which has attempted to break blockade inward, is liable to capture so long as she is pursued by a ship of the blockading force. If the pursuit is abandoned or if the blockade is raised, her capture can no longer be effected.

21.—A vessel found guilty of breach of blockade is liable to condemnation. The cargo is also condemned unless it is proved that at the time of the shipment of the goods the shipper neither knew nor could have known of the intention to break the blockade.

## CHAPTER II.—CONTRABAND OF WAR.

22.—The following articles may, without notice, be treated as contraband of war under the name of absolute contraband:

(1) Arms of all kinds, including arms for sporting purposes and their distinctive component parts.

(2) Projectiles, charges and cartridges of all kinds and other distinctive component parts.

(3) Powder and explosives specially prepared for use in war.

(4) Gun mountings, limber boxes, limbers, military wagons, field forges and their distinctive component parts.

(5) Clothing and equipment of a distinctly military character.

(6) All kinds of harness of a distinctly military character.

(7) Saddle, draft and pack animals suitable for use in war.

(8) Articles of camp equipment and their distinctive component parts.

(9) Armor plates.

(10) Warships, including boats, and their distinctive component parts of such a nature that they can only be used on a vessel of war.

(11) Implements and apparatus designed exclusively for the manufacture of munitions of war, for the manufacture or repair of arms or war material for use on land or sea.

23.—Articles exclusively used for war may be added to the list of absolute contraband by a declaration which must be notified.

Such notification must be addressed to the governments of other powers or to their representatives accredited to the power making the declaration. A notification made after the outbreak of hostilities is addressed only to neutral powers.

24.—The following articles, susceptible of use in war as well as for purposes of peace, may, without notice, be treated as contraband of war under the name of conditional contraband:

(1) Foodstuffs.

(2) Forage and grain suitable for feeding animals used in war.

(3) Clothing, fabrics for clothing and boots and shoes suitable for use in war.

(4) Gold and silver in coin or bullion, paper money.

(5) Vehicles of all kinds available for use in war and their component parts.

(6) Vessels, craft and boats of all kinds; floating docks, parts of docks and their component parts.

(7) Railway material, both fixed and rolling stock, and material for telegraphs, wireless telegraphs and telephones.

(8) Balloons and flying machines and their distinctive component parts, together with accessories and articles recognizable as intended for use in connection with balloons and flying machines.

(9) Fuel, lubricants.

(10) Powder and explosives not specially prepared for use in war.

(11) Harbed wire and implements for fixing and cutting the same.

(12) Horseshoes and shoeing materials.

(13) Harness and saddlery.

(14) Field glasses, telescopes, chronometers and all kinds of nautical instruments.

25.—Articles susceptible of use in war as well as for purposes of peace, other than those enumerated in articles 22 and 24, may be added to the list of conditional contraband by a declaration, which must be notified in the manner provided for in the second paragraph of article 23.

26.—If a power, waver, so far as it is concerned, the right to treat as contraband of war an article comprised in any of the classes enumerated in articles 22 and 24, such intention shall be announced by a declaration, which must be notified in the manner provided for in the second paragraph of article 23.

27.—Articles which are not susceptible of use in war may not be declared contraband of war.

28.—The following may not be declared contraband of war:

(1) Raw cotton, wool, silk, jute, flax, hemp and other raw materials of the textile industries and yarns of the same.

(2) Oil seeds and nuts, copra.

(3) Rubber, resins, gums and lacs, hops.

(4) Raw hides and horns, bones and ivory.

(5) Natural and artificial manures, including nitrates and phosphates for agricultural purposes.

(6) Metallic ores.

(7) Earths, clays, lime, chalk, stone, including marble, bricks, slates and tiles.

(8) Chinaware and glass.

(9) Paper and paper making materials.

(10) Soap, paint and colors, including articles exclusively used in their manufacture, and varnish.

(11) Bleaching powder, soda ash, caustic soda, salt cake, ammonia, sulphate of ammonia and sulphate of copper.

(12) Agricultural, mining, textile and printing machinery.

(13) Precious and semiprecious stones, pearls, mother-of-pearl and coral.

(14) Clocks and watches, other than chronometers.

(15) Fashion and fancy goods.

(16) Feathers of all kinds, hairs and bristles.

(17) Articles of household furniture and decoration, office furniture and requisites.

29.—Likewise the following may not be treated as contraband of war:

(1) Articles serving exclusively to aid the sick and wounded. They can, however, in cases of urgent military necessity, and subject to the payment of compensation, be requisitioned if their destination is that specified in article 30.

(2) Articles intended for the use of the vessel in which they are found as well as those intended for the use of her crew and passengers during the voyage.

30.—Absolute contraband is liable to capture if it is shown to be destined to territory belonging to or occupied by the enemy or to the armed forces of the enemy. It is immaterial whether the carriage of the goods is direct or entails transshipment or a subsequent transport by land.

31.—Proof of the destination specified in article 30 is complete in the following cases:

(1) When the goods are documented for discharge in an enemy port or for delivery to the armed forces of the enemy.

(2) When the vessel is to call at enemy ports only or when she is to touch at an enemy port or meet the armed forces of the enemy before reaching the neutral port for which the goods in question are documented.

32.—Where a vessel is carrying absolute contraband, her papers are conclusive proof as to the voyage on which she is engaged, unless she is found clearly out of the course indicated by her papers and unable to give adequate reasons to justify such deviation.

33.—Conditional contraband is liable to capture if it is shown to be destined for the use of the armed forces or of a government department of the enemy state, unless in this latter case the circumstances show that the goods cannot in fact be used for the purposes of the war in progress. This latter exception does not apply to a consignment coming under article 24 (4).

34.—The destination referred to in article

23 is presumed to exist if the goods are consigned to enemy authorities or to a contractor established in the enemy country who, as a matter of common knowledge, supplies articles of this kind to the enemy. A similar presumption arises if the goods are consigned to a fortified place belonging to the enemy or other place serving as a base for the armed forces of the enemy. No such presumption, however, arises in the case of a merchant vessel bound for one of these places if it is sought to prove that she herself is contraband.

In cases where the above presumptions do not arise the destination is presumed to be innocent.

The presumption set up by this article may be rebutted.

35.—Conditional contraband is not liable to capture, except when found on board a vessel bound for territory belonging to or occupied by the enemy or for the armed forces of the enemy and when it is not to be discharged in an intervening neutral port.

The ship's papers are conclusive proof both as to the voyage on which the vessel is engaged and as to the port of discharge of the goods, unless she is found clearly out of the course indicated by her papers and unable to give adequate reasons to justify such deviation.

36.—Notwithstanding the provisions of article 35 conditional contraband, if shown to have the destination referred to in article 23, is liable to capture in cases where the enemy country has no seaboard.

37.—A vessel carrying goods liable to capture as absolute or conditional contraband may be captured on the high seas or in the territorial waters of the belligerents throughout the whole of her voyage, even if she is to touch at a port of call before reaching the hostile destination.

38.—A vessel may not be captured on the ground that she has carried contraband on a previous occasion if such carriage is in point of fact at an end.

39.—Contraband goods are liable to condemnation.

40.—A vessel carrying contraband may be condemned if the contraband, reckoned either by value, weight, volume or freight, forms more than half the cargo.

41.—If a vessel carrying contraband is released she may be condemned to pay the costs and expenses incurred by the capture and the costs of the proceedings in the national prize court and the custody of the ship and cargo during the proceedings.

42.—Goods which belong to the owner of the contraband and are on board the same vessel are liable to condemnation.

43.—If a vessel is encountered at sea while unaware of the outbreak of hostilities or of the declaration of contraband which applies to her cargo, the contraband cannot be condemned except on payment of compensation; the vessel herself and the remainder of the cargo are not liable to condemnation or to the costs and expenses referred to in article 41. The same rule applies if the master, after becoming aware of the outbreak of hostilities or of the declaration of contraband, has had no opportunity of discharging the contraband.

A vessel is deemed to be aware of the existence of a state of war or of a declaration of contraband if she left a neutral port subsequently to the notification to the power to which such port belongs of the outbreak of hostilities or of the declaration of contraband respectively, provided that such notification was made in sufficient time. A vessel is also deemed to be aware of the existence of a state of war if she left an enemy port after the outbreak of hostilities.

44.—A vessel which has been stopped on the ground that she is carrying contraband and which is not liable to condemnation on account of the proportion of contraband on board, may, when the circumstances permit, be allowed to continue her voyage if the master is willing to hand over the contraband to the belligerent warship.

The delivery of the contraband must be entered by the captor on the logbook of the vessel stopped, and the master must give the captor duly certified copies of all relevant papers.

The captor is at liberty to destroy the contraband that has been handed over to him under these conditions.

## CHAPTER III.—UNNEUTRAL SERVICE.

45.—A neutral vessel will be condemned and will, in a general way, receive the same treatment as a neutral vessel liable to condemnation for carriage of contraband:

(1) If she is on a voyage specially undertaken with a view to the transport of individual passengers who are embodied in the armed forces of the enemy or with a view to the transmission of intelligence in the interests of the enemy.

(2) If, to the knowledge of either the owner, the charterer, or the master, she is transporting a military detachment of the enemy, or one or more persons who, in the course of the voyage, directly assist the operations of the enemy.

In the cases specified under the above heads goods belonging to the owner of the vessel are likewise liable to condemnation.

The provisions of the present article do not apply if the vessel is encountered at sea while unaware of the outbreak of hostilities, or if the master, after becoming aware of the outbreak of hostilities, has had no opportunity of disembarking the passengers. The vessel is deemed to be aware of the existence of a state of war if she left an enemy port subsequently to the outbreak of hostilities, or a neutral port subsequently to the notification of the outbreak of hostilities to the power to which such port belongs, provided that such notification was made in sufficient time.

46.—A neutral vessel will be condemned and in a general way receive the same treatment as would be applicable to her if she were an enemy merchant vessel:

(1) If she takes a direct part in the hostilities.

(2) If she is under the orders or control of an agent placed on board by the enemy government.

(3) If she is in the exclusive employment of the enemy government.

(4) If she is exclusively engaged at the time either in the transport of enemy troops or in the transmission of intelligence in the interest of the enemy.

In the cases covered by the present article goods belonging to the owner of the vessel are likewise liable to condemnation.

## CHAPTER IV.—DESTRUCTION OF NEUTRAL PRIZES.

47.—Any individual embodied in the armed forces of the enemy who is found on board a neutral merchant vessel may be made a prisoner of war, even though there be no ground for the capture of the vessel.

48.—A neutral vessel which has been captured by the enemy may be destroyed by the captor. She must be taken into such port as is proper for the determination thereof, all questions concerning the validity of the capture.

49.—As an exception, a neutral vessel which has been captured by a belligerent warship and which would be liable to condemnation may be destroyed if the observance of Article 48 would involve danger to the safety of the warship or to the success of the operations in which she is engaged at the time.

50.—Before the vessel is destroyed all persons on board must be placed in safety, and all the ship's papers and other documents which the parties interested consider relevant for the purpose of deciding on the validity of the capture must be taken on board the warship.

51.—A captor who has destroyed a neu-

tral vessel must, prior to any decision respecting the validity of the prize, establish that he only acted in the face of an exceptional necessity of the nature contemplated in Article 49. If he fails to do this he must compensate the parties interested and no examination shall be made of the question whether the capture was valid or not.

52.—If the capture of a neutral vessel is subsequently held to be invalid, though the act of destruction has been held to have been justifiable, the captor must pay compensation to the parties interested, in place of the restitution to which they would have been entitled.

53.—If neutral goods not liable to condemnation have been destroyed with the vessel the owner of such goods is entitled to compensation.

54.—The captor has the right to demand the handing over or to proceed himself to the destruction of any goods liable to condemnation found on board a vessel not herself liable to condemnation, provided that the circumstances are such as would, under Article 49, justify the destruction of a vessel herself liable to condemnation. The captor must enter the goods so rendered or destroyed in the logbook of the vessel stopped and must obtain duly certified copies of all relevant papers.

When the goods have been handed over or destroyed and the formalities duly carried out the master must be allowed to continue his voyage.

The provisions of Articles 51 and 52 respecting the obligations of a captor who has destroyed a neutral vessel are applicable.

## CHAPTER V.—TRANSFER TO A NEUTRAL FLAG.

55.—The transfer of an enemy vessel to a neutral flag effected before the outbreak of hostilities is valid, unless it is proved that such transfer was made in order to evade the consequences to which an enemy vessel as such is exposed. There is, however, a presumption, if the bill of sale is not on board a vessel which has lost her belligerent nationality less than sixty days before the outbreak of hostilities, that the transfer is void. This presumption may be rebutted.

Where the transfer was effected more than thirty days before the outbreak of hostilities there is an absolute presumption that it is valid if it is unconditional, complete and in conformity with the laws of the countries concerned, and if its effect is such that neither the control of the vessel nor the profits arising from the employment of the vessel remain in the same hands as before the transfer. If, however, the vessel lost her belligerent nationality less than sixty days before the outbreak of hostilities and if the bill of sale is not on board, the capture of the vessel gives no right to damages.

56.—The transfer of an enemy vessel to a neutral flag effected after the outbreak of hostilities is void unless it is proved that such transfer was made in order to evade the consequences to which an enemy vessel as such is exposed.

There is, however, an absolute presumption that a transfer is void.

(1) If the transfer has been made during a voyage or in a blockaded port.

(2) If a right to repurchase or recover the vessel is reserved to the vendor.

(3) If the requirements of the municipal law governing the right to fly the flag under which the vessel is sailing have not been fulfilled.

## CHAPTER VI.—ENEMY CHARACTER.

57.—Subject to the provisions respecting transfer to neutral flag, the neutral or enemy character of a vessel is determined by the flag which she is entitled to fly.

The case where a neutral vessel is engaged in a trade which is closed in time of peace remains outside the scope of and is in no wise affected by this rule.

58.—The neutral or enemy character of goods found on board an enemy vessel is determined by the neutral or enemy character of the owner.

59.—In the absence of proof of the neutral character of goods found on board an enemy vessel they are presumed to be enemy goods.

60.—Enemy goods on board an enemy vessel retain their enemy character until they reach their destination, notwithstanding any transfer effected after the outbreak of hostilities while the goods are being forwarded.

If, however, prior to the capture a former neutral owner exercises on the bankruptcy of an existing enemy owner a recognized legal right to recover the goods they retain their neutral character.

## CHAPTER VII.—CONVOY.

61.—Neutral vessels under national convoy are exempt from search. The commander of a convoy gives in writing, at

the request of the commander of a belligerent warship, all information as to the character of the vessels and their cargoes which could be obtained by search.

62.—If the commander of the belligerent warship has reason to suspect that the confidence of the commander of the convoy has been abused, he communicates his suspicions to him. In such a case it is for the commander of the convoy alone to investigate the matter. He must record the result of such investigation in a report, of which a copy is handed to the commander of the warship. If in the opinion of the commander of the convoy the facts shown in the report justify the capture of one or more vessels the protection of the convoy must be withdrawn from such vessels.

## CHAPTER VIII.—RESISTANCE TO SEARCH.

63.—Forcible resistance to the legitimate exercise of the right of stoppage, search and capture involves in all cases the condemnation of the vessel. The cargo is liable to the same treatment as the cargo of an enemy vessel. Goods belonging to the master or owner of the vessel are treated as enemy goods.

## CHAPTER IX.—COMPENSATION.

64.—If the capture of a vessel or of goods is not upheld by the prize court, or if the prize is released without any judgment being given, the parties interested have the right to compensation, unless there were good reasons for capturing the vessel or goods.

65.—The provisions of the present declaration must be treated as a whole and cannot be separated.

66.—The signatory powers undertake to insure the mutual observance of the rules contained in the present declaration in any war in which all the belligerents are parties thereto. They will therefore issue the necessary instructions to their authorities and to their armed forces and will take such measures as may be required in order to insure that it will be applied by their courts, and more particularly by their prize courts.

67.—The present declaration shall be ratified as soon as possible.

The ratifications shall be deposited in London.

The first deposit of ratifications shall be recorded in a protocol signed by the representatives of the powers taking part therein and by his Britannic majesty's principal secretary of state for foreign affairs.

The subsequent deposits of ratifications shall be made by means of a written notification addressed to the British government and accompanied by the instrument of ratification.

A duly certified copy of the protocol relating to the first deposit of ratifications and of the notifications mentioned in the preceding paragraph, as well as of the instruments of ratification which accompany them, shall be immediately sent by the British government through the diplomatic channel to the signatory powers. The said government shall in the cases contemplated in the preceding paragraph inform them at the same time of the date on which it received the notification.

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# GERMANY TAKES UP U. S. NOTE

Contents Regarded as Basis For Further Negotiations.

CONCESSIONS MAY BE MADE

Proposal Seeking Removal of Mine Fields Around England Likely to Be Unacceptable to the German Government—Not Believed in Berlin That Great Britain Will Raise Embargo on Foodstuffs.

Berlin, Feb. 25.—The American identical note on marine warfare, sent by the United States government to Great Britain and Germany, is now in the hands of Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, imperial German chancellor, and Gottlieb von Jagow, the German foreign minister, who are examining carefully the various proposals contained in it.

The German government regards the contents of the note as the basis for further negotiations. Certain of the proposals, as an example the removal of the mine fields around England, probably will be unacceptable to Germany, but it is thought that Germany possibly may make concessions on other points.

It can not be said, however, that there is any great optimism in either German or diplomatic quarters that Great Britain will accept any of the proposals permitting the importation of foodstuffs into Germany. The German government, it is said, is not counting on such concessions.

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The Lokal Anzeiger says it learns that the American note is cordial in tone and that it presents a workable basis for further negotiations. "Washington," the newspaper adds, "now takes up the suggestions outlined in the final passage of Germany's answer and makes proposals which apparently are addressed equally to Germany and Great Britain."

# SAYS GERMANS WILL BE VICTORS

New York, Feb. 25.—"The thought of a successful invasion can not be lightly dismissed," said Rear Admiral Francis T. Bowles, formerly of the United States navy, in an interview. He went a step further than he did in his interview upon his return from Europe, when he said "Germany will win," by saying:

"I am convinced that Germany will be ultimately successful. The probable situation is that all the allies are now ready to quit, and that means not only France and Russia, but England; that Germany is ready to make peace with Russia and France, but never with England. The possible consequences of such a situation are easily discernible and merit the most serious consideration by the people of the United States. Germany is strongly fortified in food, war materials and men. The field armies are maintained to their full strength and there were never so many men in training as at the present."

# RUSSIANS FILE SERIOUS CHARGES

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Russian ambassador handed in at the state department a document received from his government charging the Austro-Hungarian military forces with the commission of atrocities in the theater of military operations. The state department will take no action regarding this document beyond acknowledging its receipt. The Russians charge the Austro-Hungarians with having killed Russian wounded on the battlefield; with the killing of Russian prisoners; with the violation of Russian churches; with assaults upon the civil population of Russian territory and with violations of the Geneva and the Hague conventions.

# WITNESS MAY FACE PERJURY CHARGE

New York, Feb. 25.—Jefferson Lasher, a driver for the Ward Baking company, took back at the hearing of the attorney general's bread, flour and wheat inquiry the testimony he gave Feb. 17, to the effect that one of his superiors gave him verbal instructions to get agreements from his fifty-two customers to sell bread at the advance price of 6 cents per loaf. He now testifies he had never received any orders to tell grocers and others that they must charge 6 cents for Ward's bread. Attorney Becker said he would send to District Attorney Perkins a transcript of the man's testimony in order that a prosecution could follow on a charge of perjury.

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# MR. WILSON WANTS ACTION THIS SESSION

President Would Push Ship Bill Through Senate.

REPORT DISTURBS OPPOSITION

White House Plan as Outlined to Party Leaders Contemplates Holding the Senate in Continuous Session From Saturday Until Noon on March 4 in an Effort to Pass the Ship Purchase Bill.

Washington, Feb. 25.—A report that President Wilson had served notice on his leaders in the senate that they must pass all appropriation bills by Saturday and then take up and pass the ship purchase bill, stirred the senate. Republican leaders were somewhat disturbed over the suggestion until they were assured by Senator Simmons, Democratic leader, that the report was untrue.

But the president has asked to see the ship bill passed at the present session. Added to this was the further suggestive movement among the Democratic senators looking to a caucus, the purpose of which is to consider the chances for putting through the ship bill. Republican senators immediately took counsel with each other and for a time the menace of an extra session again loomed large upon the legislative horizon. The Republican leaders told their Democratic brethren plainly that if there was any serious effort to revive the ship purchase bill by the Democrats it would amount to a breach of faith and it would not be permitted, even if the passage of appropriation bills had to be halted. It is likely that all of the general supply bills will not be permitted to pass this week and it is doubtful if some of them get by before the last day of the session.

The president's plan as outlined to the party leaders contemplated holding the senate in continuous session from Saturday until noon on March 4 in an effort to pass the ship bill.

# STUDENT ATTEMPTS TO ASSASSINATE STATESMAN

Madrid, Feb. 25.—Jose Francisco Silva, a student, made an attempt to shoot Dr. Alfonso Costa, former minister of finance and now leader of the Democratic party in Portugal. He missed two point blank shots at the statesman.

Every day has its advertising opportunities and every merchant should know the opportunity when it comes to him.

# COAL!

Pocahontas, Keystone, Hatfield, Sunday Creek, Spruce Fork, Ky Gem, Ky., Hickory Ash, W. Va.

**A. C. HENKLE**

# WILSON RAPS HIGH SOCIETY

Washington, Feb. 25.—President Wilson paid his respects to so-called "high society" in a speech he delivered at a public meeting held in the interest of Berea college, Kentucky. "It is very amusing, sometimes," said President Wilson, "to see the airs that high society gives itself. The world could dispense with high society and never miss it. High society is for those who have stopped working and no longer have anything important to do. The only thing that is worth while in human intercourse after all is to wake somebody up, provided you wake them up to see the light; provided you wake them up to see something that is worth seeing and to comprehend something that their spirits have not hitherto comprehended."

# TO THE POINT

Mrs. Sara Morley French, refused re-employment as a teacher in the Cleveland public schools in 1913 because she married, won her fight for a year's back pay.

Former Governor Franklin J. Fort of New Jersey was appointed by President Wilson special commissioner to Haiti to investigate the financial and administrative difficulties of that republic.

Re. J. W. Brokaw of Cadott, Wis., left his Methodist church in that village a month ago to be married to Miss Margaret Houghtelling of Greenville, O., at Chicago. Since then there has been no word from him.

# WHEN YOU ENTERTAIN

You can secure invitation cards and envelopes at special hundred prices at Rodecker's. Several grades from the Crane factory to select from.

# Public Elopements.

The Bulgarian is perhaps the most simple minded and industrious peasant in Europe, and, paradoxical as it may appear, his standard of morality is extremely high, although elopements are more numerous than in any other country. But these are generally innocent affairs, being simply the device of young couples to get married without the expense of a regular Bulgarian wedding entailed. In most cases not only is the consent of both parents obtained, but all friends are informed and assemble outside the bride's house to witness the elopement.

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# AD WOLGAST BREAKS RIGHT WING AGAIN

New York, Feb. 25.—The Wolgast-Cross bout is off. Wolgast broke his right arm again and didn't know it until he tried to lift it when he got out of bed. Joanny Dundee has been substituted for Wolgast in Friday night's fight.

THE TAYLOR TALLY CARDS are becoming more popular each month. Two, three, four and five table sets on sale, only at Rodecker's.

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At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for \$2.50. Be sure you get the genuine MUSTEROLE. Refuse imitations—get what you ask for. The Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio.



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### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—One-half of modern double house on S. Main street. F. C. Mayer, Citiz. phone 768. 46 tf

FOR RENT—7-room house, gas, well, eastern, good barn, South North St. Call Bell phone 201 W. 3. 45 6t

FOR RENT—8-room house, corner lot, only \$9. Fayette Renting Agency, 6 Pavey building, Bell 192; Home, 237. 44 tf

FOR RENT—House of six rooms, double; gas, hard and soft waters. Vandeman St. Harry Fitzgerald. 43 tf

FOR SALE—2 sets of chain work harness; good as new. Harry Engle, Bell phone. 43 6t

FOR RENT—About ten acres for pass on shares. Land two miles out. Lee Rankin. 42 6t

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping, 228 N. Fayette St. 13 tf

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—White leghorn cockerels, Tom Barron, Young and Wyck strain. C. S. Ellis, Bell phone 205 W. 5. 47 6t

FOR SALE—Good milch cow. Inquire O. K. Barber shop, Citiz. phone 768. 46 tf

FOR SALE—A brown reed baby buggy; good condition. Call Mrs. Ray Maddox, E. Temple St. 46 6t

FOR SALE—18 1-3 acres, 3 miles northwest of Washington C. H. on Prairie pike. Well fenced and ditched. Rev. J. S. Griffith, Bell phone 457 W. 46 6t

FOR SALE—Bronze turkeys. Three toms at \$4.00 each, and six hens at \$2.00 each. Earl Vincent, 8 miles east of Washington on White pike. Home phone 1 and 3 on 642. 45 6t

FOR SALE—Remington typewriter, cheap. Call Citizens' phone 338. 44 tf

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington cockerels and pullets. Mrs. Patrick Clancey, Citiz. phone 155. 44 6t

FOR SALE—Furniture, good as new; owner leaving city. 423 East Paint street. 44 6t

FOR SALE—Two mares. See Geo. Lane, 2 1/2 miles southeast of Washington. 43 6t

FOR SALE—Four unit spark coil, 1 1/2 inch carburetor, Indian motorcycle, two passenger auto. Frank M. Garinger, Box 275, City. 42 6t

FOR SALE—Lot 67, Bakers' addition. Inquire of E. M. Marion, 316 Western avenue. 39 tf

FOR SALE—Medium, mammoth, alfalfa, alsike, timothy and other field seeds. For further particulars, write Walter G. Trumpler, Tiffin, O. 32 18t

FOR SALE—Horses, cows and stock hogs of all kinds; also agent for Swift & Co.'s high grade fertilizer. J. N. Browning, Bloomingburg, O. Citiz. phone 56. 30 26t

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth rock cockerels. A. M. Langdon, Bell phone 113 W. 2. 20 tf

### WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for housework. Inquire Mrs. Pauline Custis, Stutson's store. 46 6t

WANTED—Good girl to do housework. Must be 20 years or older. Citiz. phone 1431. 45 6t

WANTED—Ditchers. Call Chas. C. McCoy, Jeffersonville pike. Bell phone 201 R. 4. 44 6t

WANTED—To rent two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping at once. Address Lock Box 124. 43 6t

WANTED—Stockman to furnish fodder and care for 30 head of cattle. Call H. C. Teachnor. 42 12t

WANTED—To buy a boy's wheel. Call Citiz. phone 3569. 42 6t

### LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Thursday night, on Market or North street, or in Wonderland Theater, black one strap leather casepurse, containing money in a small purse, pair of nose glasses in black case. Return to Mrs. Harry Colwell, Market St. Reward 43-tf



## PROMOTER PROMISES GREAT THINGS FOR PROPOSED ROAD

A. N. Fisher, of Indianapolis, who in reserve for emergencies, and the was in this city last summer investigating the feasibility of constructing electric plant also furnishes enough a traction between this city and current to start the engines. 200 Hillsboro, to connect with proposed horse power engines are used in the ed road from Chillicothe to Hillsboro, has announced that he is to begin a survey of the route between Chillicothe and Hillsboro for a New York corporation, which, according to Mr. Fisher, will use the latest type of steel traction cars.

When here last summer Mr. Fisher announced that if the road from Hillsboro to Chillicothe, via Bainbridge, becomes a reality, he next will take up the matter of constructing a road from this city to Hillsboro, opening up new territory the entire distance.

Fisher announces that the car to be placed upon the line from Hillsboro to Chillicothe—if built—will be 80 feet long, of 100 passenger capacity, all steel and motor driven.

The cars are equipped with double power plants, one of which is kept

## NEW REFRESHMENT PLACED ON MARKET

William Reif, of this city, has produced a new and exceedingly delicious soft drink known as Nacto Fruit Punch, in delicate fruit flavors, which promises to become very popular within a short time.

Mr. Reif is preparing to manufacture the new refreshment in large quantities, and in addition to being handled by local dealers, it is expected that the drink will become popular wherever placed on sale.

## ANOTHER TOWNSHIP WILL CENTRALIZE

Ross township, Greene county, this week voted to centralize the schools of that township, and to issue \$35,000 in bonds for carrying out the centralization. The vote for centralization was 105 and 63 against.

Ross is the second township in Greene county to be centralized, and a handsome \$50,000 building is now being erected near Bowersville.

## MARRIED IN ROSS

Thomas L. Burrell, 28, contractor, Columbus, O., and Miss Daisy Marie Ott, 19, at home in Frankfort. Rev. R. C. Galbraith.

## THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

Extra fine grape fruit, 5c each. California Navel oranges, 25c to 35c per doz. Fancy lemons, 2 for 5c. Sugar \$1.50 per sack of 25 lbs., best cane granulated. No. 1 Rio coffee 12½c per lb. Reg Bird coffee, 25c per lb. Arbuckle's coffee, 20c per lb. XXXX coffee 18c, 2 lbs. for 35c. Mexican Plantation coffee, 15c per lb. We also carry Golden Sun, White House, Old Reliable, Kasper's Steel Cut and Peaberry coffees. Get a bottle of Duffee's Cough Syrup. Big bottle. Pleasant to take. Price 25c.

J. W. DUFFEE & CO.,  
The Old Reliable Cash Grocers.  
Both phones NO. 77.

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### Special This Week

Red Bird Oats, 3 for 25c  
Libby, McNeil & Libby's Hawaiian Pineapple, regular price 30c—our price 20c can  
APPLES, GANOS, 50c bushel  
Onions, fancy, 25c per peck

Can Milk—  
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The House That Cut the High Cost of Living in Washington  
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## BIG FIGHT CALLED OFF

By Associated Press.  
Toronto, Canada, February 25.—Tom Flanagan, who trained Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist, for the fight with Jim Jefferies at Reno, announced today that he had received a cablegram from Johnson at Havana in which he said he had called off the fight with Jess Willard set for March 6, at Juarez, and that the fight would occur in Havana.

## MARIETTA EDITOR NAMED TRUSTEE

By Associated Press.  
Columbus, O., Feb. 25.—Governor Willis today announced that he would send to the Senate this afternoon the name of John Kaiser, Marietta editor, to be trustee of Ohio State university for the short term ending May 12. This is the unexpired term of the late John T. Mack, of Sandusky.

## SMALL BOAT HITS MINE

By Associated Press.  
London, February 25.—The small British coasting steamer Western Coast has been sunk by a mine or torpedo in the English Channel, at a point off Beachy Head. The crew was landed at Portsmouth today.

## WARM DAYS COAX HARD AFTER BUDS

The past several days of unseasonably warm weather have done much toward coaxing out the buds on many varieties of trees, but it is believed that no serious damage was done by the spring-like weather, and that the fruit buds will escape destruction.

Even the peach buds are said to be in splendid condition, although it is usually about this time of the year that the buds receive their "first killing."

## FORUM LITERARY WILL GIVE PROGRAM

The Forum Literary Society of the High school will give a program in High school auditorium Friday afternoon under the direction of Miss Amy Conn.

The program will include a sketch from Shakespeare's "Winter's tale" and musical numbers by the Ohio Wesleyan Glee club, which is giving a concert here Friday evening.

## INVITATION TO THE D. A. R.

The Browning club invites the members of the D. A. R. to meet Mrs. C. C. Pavey, president of the Columbus Federation of Woman's clubs at Conservatory hall on Tuesday, March 2nd, at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Emma A. D. Morris, regent, by Mrs. Josephine Kerr, president of the Browning club.

### EMERY LATTANNER

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## Markets

### Close of Markets Today

#### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—Hogs—Receipts 23,000; market steady; light yorkers \$6.55@6.80; heavy yorkers \$6.55@6.65; pigs \$5.75@6.85.

Cattle—Receipts 5000; market firm; natives \$5.60@9.10; westerns \$5.70@7.60; cows and heifers \$2.60@7.75; calves \$7@10.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 9000; market steady; sheep, natives \$6.85@7.80; lambs, natives \$8@9.60.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 25.—Hogs—Receipts 200; market steady; heavy yorkers \$7.25; light yorkers \$7.10@7.15; pigs \$7.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 500; market steady; top sheep \$7.50; top lambs \$9.50.

Calves—Receipts 50; steady; top \$12.

#### GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—Wheat—May \$1.53½; July \$1.25¼.

Corn—May 72½; July 74¾.

Oats—May 56½; July 53½.

Pork—May \$17.20; July \$17.55.

Lard—May \$10.17; July \$10.35.

#### THE LOCAL MARKET.

Corrected Daily at 3 P. M.

Wheat ..... \$1.43  
Corn ..... 68c  
Oats ..... 55c

#### Prices Paid for Produce.

Chickens ..... 12½c  
Hens ..... 12½c  
Eggs ..... 18c  
Butter ..... 22c  
New potatoes ..... 50c  
Old potatoes ..... 65c  
Lard ..... 11c

### Close of Markets Yesterday

(By American Press)

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Cattle—Native steers, \$5.50@8.85; western, \$5.00@7.50; cows and heifers, \$3.50@7.45; calves, \$7.00@10.50.  
Hogs—Light, \$6.50@6.75; mixed, \$6.40@6.70; heavy, \$5.15@6.30; pigs, \$5.50@6.80.  
Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$6.70@7.60; yearlings, \$7.00@8.20; lambs, \$7.50@9.35.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.54½@1.57; corn, No. 4 yellow, 70½@71c; oats—No. 3 white, 55½@57c.  
Receipts—Cattle, 8,000; hogs, 20,000; sheep and lambs, 9,000.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 25.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.50@7.75; heifers, \$4.50@7.40; cows, \$3.25@5.65; calves, \$5.50@9.11.  
Hogs—Common to choice, \$5.25@6.65; pigs and lights, \$5.00@6.85; stags, \$4@5.  
Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$3.50@5.75; lambs, \$4@7.50.  
Receipts—Cattle, 200; hogs, 2,700; sheep and lambs, 100.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 25.—Hogs—Heavy, \$7.00@15; mixed, \$7.40@7.55; Yorkers, \$7.60@7.75; pigs, \$7.75@8.50; roughs, \$6.00@6.25; stags, \$4@5.  
Sheep and Lambs—Yearlings, \$5.00@8.35; wethers, \$7.00@7.50; cows, \$3.50@4.75; mixed sheep, \$5.75@7.15; lambs, \$5.00@7.50.  
Calves—\$4@12.  
Receipts—Hogs, 2,000; calves, 100.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 25.—Hogs—Heavy, \$7; heavy Yorkers, \$7.25; light Yorkers, \$7.10@7.15; pigs, \$7.  
Sheep and Lambs—Top sheep, \$7.50; top lambs, \$9.50.  
Calves—\$12.  
Receipts—Hogs, 1,500; sheep and lambs, 1,500; calves, 50.

BOSTON, Feb. 25.—Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania XX, 33c; delaine washed, 34@35c; half blood combing, 32c; three-eighths blood combing, 34@35c; fine unwashed, 28@29c.

TOLEDO, Feb. 25.—Wheat, \$1.55¼; corn, 73½@74½c; oats, 58@58½c; clover seed, \$8.97.

## INSPECTOR DIEGLE GOES OVER STANDARDS

Inspector W. R. Diegle, of the Bureau of Weights and Measures, was in the city Thursday inspecting and correcting the standards used by Deputy Sealer Hall.

The Fayette standards are now in perfect condition, guaranteeing the work of the Deputy Sealer.

## LARGE CROWD AT HAGLER SALE

There was a large crowd of ready buyers at the Hagler sale on the Roy Hagler farm Wednesday.

Twenty-eight head of horses and a pair of mules went under the hammer, the horses averaging \$175 a head.

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if your gas engine is constructed to burn lower grade fuel. A slight adjustment is necessary for the change, and this I am prepared to make on short notice.

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### Pettijohn's Breakfast Food

Rolled wheat and bran—delightful, rich and nourishing—highly recommended by physicians. Price 15 cents per box.

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### RECITAL

The Cecilia club is announcing a recital to be given at the High School auditorium on Wednesday evening, March 3rd, at 8:00 o'clock. Admission, 25c. Proceeds for the benefit of the Welfare Association. Public cordially invited. 47 2t

Gentlemen—H. W. Acker, Wm. Blackburn, George M. Cohen, B. T. L. Drumm, Charles Lelly, A. B. Loveston, Arthur Stern, Gerald Vanscyoc.  
In order to obtain any of the above ask for advertised letters.  
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Harry Harpster, farmer, and Ida B. Riley. Both of Paint township.  
Delicious brown cakes made from Mrs. Austin's Bag Pancake Flour. All grocers. ad

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Fresh Eggs - 19 cents a dozen

Fancy 150 size Sunkist California

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### Wear-Ever Aluminum Special for Saturday

200 one-quart Shallow Stew Pans, priced regularly at 50c. Saturday only 18c each  
Get your order in early

### Demonstration of Libby's Pure Food Products

at our store Saturday—Peaches, Apricots, Asparagus and Pineapple.  
Special Prices will be made on all items.

Ben Davis Apples - 50 cents a bushel  
Rome Beauty Apples 95 cents a bushel

## Apples! Apples! Apples!

Will have a car fancy Rome Beauty and Baldwins on C. & M. V. track Saturday A. M. This is undoubtedly the best car of apples I have had this season. PRICES RIGHT.

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A Car-Load of Fine Roman Beauty Apples, extra quality, at

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